Weather Fahrenheit Celsius					(Ozone readings below)
	Hi	Low	Hi	Low	
Jan. 23	63	40	15	11	.02
Jan. 24	66	44	19	9	.02
Jan. 25	70	38	20	10	.01
Jan. 26	64	39	20	12	.01
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City and Group W reach friendly agreement

A controversy that has been stewing for 15 months went off the stove Jan. 25 when Group W Cable hand-delivered an agreement to the city of Sierra Madre, crediting customers all remote charges since October, 1983, and agreeing not to raise their rates of $7.05 to $9.95 as has been before Sierra Madre City Council for some time.

Sierra Madre City Attorney Charles Martin reviewed events before City Council members at an adjourned meeting last Wednesday:

— In October, 1983, Group W announced that they would begin charging $3 for each remote hand-held device which the company had distributed free to subscribers several months before that. They said they would need to charge $1 for each extra remote device held by each Group W Cable subscriber.

This announcement caused problems within the community and Martin resolved that Group W "had no right to make the charge."

— Subscribers will receive full credit back to October, 1983, for the remote charge. "This includes all remote charges paid by customers and no more," Martin said.

— The application for a rate change from $7.05 to $9.95 was withdrawn.

— Group W has served notice that they intend to apply for deregulation in accordance with California Government Code Section 53066.1.

In that statement they are simply stating that they are applying for the right to raise rates without the city of Sierra Madre being able to rule one way or another. Deregulation is coming and they are clearing the road for any action they hope to take in rate changes within the next two years, according to Martin.

Martin told City Council members, "California passed that statute some years ago, stating that companies could withdraw from the requirement of having a city approve its rate. S66 became a federal rule effective in September, 1984. In two years I believe there will be deregulation. I think it's in the cards. I recommend settlement."

According to that letter sent to the council from Group W Cable, Inc., they have "elected to be exempt, as of January 23, 1985, from any and all rate, charge and rate structure control by the City Council of Sierra Madre." They are placing notices to that effect in The Sierra Madre News and Star-News.

— Another part of the agreement instructs Sierra Madre to remit to Group W $30,000 of the $39,000 drawn against Group W's letter of credit in 1982 within 15 days of the date of the letter.

Martin explained this action by reminding residents that a couple years ago the city assessed Group W $39,000 in damages for not completing their work properly in giving subscribers excellent reception. Group W did not agree with that decision but both the city and the cable company decided to put that decision on hold. In the meantime, their television reception cleared up.

"We had tenuous hold on the $39,000. In the meantime, interest swelled that amount to about $46,000, and in the negotiations, we decided to divide the sum with them, with the city receiving $9000 plus interest of approximately $7000 earned on the $39,000. This amounts to approximately $16,000 for the city of Sierra Madre. The interest of $7000 pays for all our costs to date," Martin said.

Martin told The News Monday, "I am pleased that this long controversy that's been wearing on the patience of residents has come to an end. We have accomplished 90% to 95% of what we set out to do.

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Delgatto named 'Citizen'

When Joe Delgatto Sr. was told by Nancy Shollenberger of the Sierra Madre Chamber of Commerce that he has been selected "Citizen of the Year" for Sierra Madre, he put his hands over his eyes, shook his head and said, "Can I stand it? I can't take it."

He said, "I always get honorable mention but I never thought I'd be selected Citizen of the Year."

He will receive the award at the Chamber of Commerce Citizen of the Year and chamber Installation of Officers dinner/dance this evening, Thursday, Jan. 31, at Brookside Country Club.

Delgatto is originally from Chicago where he was with the railroad. He joined his father-in-law, Peter Messe, after his marriage to Mary, in the Messe family drycleaning business in Lake Geneva, Wis. in 1935. He has been in the drycleaning business ever since.

The three Delgatto sons were born in Wisconsin, and in 1954, the Delgattos and Messes relocated to California, first in Glendale and then in Sierra Madre.

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'Citizen' Delgatto, Nancy Shollenberger

Meyer chosen president, CEO of Methodist Hospital

The Board of Directors of Methodist Hospital of Southern California, Arcadia, selected Frederick C. Meyer as president and chief executive officer at their monthly meeting last Thursday, according to Myron E. Smith, chairman of the board.

Meyer begins his duties Feb. 16, coming to the local facility from Health Pacific Corporation, San Francisco, where he was executive vice-president, serving as senior full-time executive. He was also president of Health Pacific Group, an entity under the parent corporation of Health Pacific.

The announcement came following a five-month search, and Meyer was selected from seven candidates.

Meyer was administrator of research and education of the Veterans Administration Hospital in Palo Alto for four years. Prior to his stint in Palo Alto, he spent four years in the U.S. Air Force in the manned space program.

His education includes two years of pre-medicine at Pomona College, and a BA and MBA from San Jose State University.

Meyer is a member of the American College of Hospital Administrators, Hospital Financial Management Association and Health Care Executives of Northern California. He has also served on executive committees of California Hospital Association, Hospital Council of Northern California, West Bay Hospital Conference and Blue Cross of California. He is chairman of the board of SELECT Health and is vice-chairman of the board for Western Institute for Health Studies. He is also an active community and church worker.

Meyer succeeds Richard A. Hachten II who left Methodist Hospital Nov. 1, 1984, after a 12-year stay with the local facility. Hachten is chief executive officer of Tri-City Hospitals, located in Oceanside, California.

Dr. Martin B. Ross of Korn/Ferry International, executive search firm, spearheaded the search which concluded when Meyer was chosen.

The Sierra Madre Community Health Care Center is a SNF satellite of the Arcadia hospital, maintaining its own board of directors of which Andrew Roy Buchan is chairman of the board.



Frederick Meyer



Under the Pepper Tree

by Jan Reed

● How appropos that Dave Kirkpatrick should receive a sisal hammock at a recent party given by the pharmacist and his wife, Charity, at Hartman Pharmacy. Dave insists he isn't going to retire but everyone keeps asking. He and Rudy Hartman recently sold the pharmacy that had been here in Sierra Madre for a good many years. Best Buy will move to the Hartman location on Baldwin Feb. 1.

● Every week brings more changes to Sierra Madre as stores change hands and new businesses come to this foothill village.

● We are pleased to report that one of our former correspondents, Sandy Young, of Monrovia was given a special award by her fellow Monrovia Chamber of Commerce members at last week's installation dinner. She received the Dick Lord award. Our special congratulations, Sandy.

● I think the town of Sierra Madre cleaned up in a record length of time after the big storm recently. There are no vestiges of the storm except a few more logs stacked up against garages.

● Football pools for Superbowl Sunday sprouted up all over town and there are a few happy winners. Nan Carlton at The News was one of those lucky people.

● When Nancy Shollenberger told Joe Delgatto Sr. that he was this year's "Citizen of the Year," he said, "January is my lucky month. It was on Jan. 14 that I asked Mary to go steady, we've been here 31 years this month and I hit the jackpot in Las Vegas in January."

Few Sierra Madreans know that Joe and Mary went back to Lake Geneva, Wis. last year to christen the Messe family home as a museum in the small Midwestern town.

● My friend and News subscriber, Lucy Heller, keeps a constant lookout for license plates and her recent note reads as follows: Following a hospital dinner, the car we followed out of the parking lot promised to DR U UP. And a few days later QWAK went by. I'm not sure he was related to any hospital — hope not. But, IR RU?

On the road to Mammoth, one car said it was 4TVL and another cute, little red car identified itself as RLLTCAR. A well-equipped Jeep at Mammoth was MMTHTOY. The

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Hartman/Best Buychangeover takes place tomorrow, Feb. 1

Tomorrow, Feb. 1, ends an era of an old-fashioned pharmacy in Sierra Madre and begins an era in which a Sierra Madre pharmacy continues in the tradition. And as usually happens, along with that change comes a relocation of personnel.

David Kirkpatrick, Pharm. D., and Martha Spriggs, pharmacist, will leave Hartman Pharmacy which has been purchased by Best Buy Drugs in Sierra Madre. Kirkpatrick's future plans are still not settled but Spriggs moves to a part-time position in a Monrovia drug store.

Both joined Hartman Pharmacy in the '50s. Kirkpatrick says he came "for one year" in 1955, after having received his doctor of pharmacy degree in 1954 from USC, also Hartman's alma mater.

Spriggs came three years later when her son, Barry, who was then 2 years old, had to be carried in bundled in a blanket. In fact, she says, when Rudy Hartman, sole owner of the pharmacy at that time, went to the bank during Kirkpatrick's vacation, Barry Spriggs dozed in the backroom.

Kirkpatrick was born and raised in San Diego where he was graduated from San Diego State University with a BS degree in zoology, and then he went on to the University of Southern California.

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Martha Spriggs, David Kirkpatrick

Comment

Businesses suffer when film crews take over streets

The Sierra Madre News would like to lodge a complaint with the city that allows film companies to close off entire business street during a weekday, closing down the businesses that are affected.

The past week, a film company informed us they would close Kersting Court for no longer than three hours, 7 - 10 a.m., on Friday.

However, Thursday morning they appeared and closed the court the entire day, clogging sidewalks and streets with personnel and equipment, literally closing down our business. It was impossible for customers to fight their way into The News office. And in all that inconvenience — and total lack of business the entire day — The News received no remuneration for the damage.

Why were we not informed of the change in plans? Why were we affected so adversely without the courtesy of being told of the plan change? And why don't businesses receive some sort of payment for the extreme inconvenience?

Complaints were filed, but as yet no one has bothered to make amends.

We believe it is good that the city coffers grow because of this film business. But why shouldn't they see that their businesses are offered common courtesies and — let's face it — a cash settlement to attempt to make up for the extreme inconvenience.

It will be the last time The News extends a welcome to the film companies for this type of unfair behavior. Our neighbors join us in this opinion.

A moratorium is needed

Several individuals in Sierra Madre have expressed consternation about the number of offices that are sprouting up in prime retail locations on Sierra Madre Blvd.

The News asked Charles Martin, city attorney, to render his opinion on the possibility of a moratorium against this practice even though, at this point, perhaps we are closing the door after the cows have escaped. A moratorium was established about two years ago and then was permitted to die.

Martin replied, "It's a battle whenever it's brought up. There is always a question of what is retail and what is not. It's a gray area. Some cities try to establish a retail atmosphere by restricting ground floor areas to retail establishments which are sales tax-producing businesses. This has the effect of symbiotic magnification of retail use and encourages walking from store to store. Sales and professional offices are restricted to second-story locations. A 90-day moratorium does relatively nothing. Builders simply wait until the moratorium is over to continue with their work."

Is it feasible to establish a longer moratorium?

Martin answered, "Some cities have it such as Temple City."

Is it successful?

"Yes, but also painful. Usually it includes one or two blocks. Of course, existing offices stay where they are. And action is strictly up to the City Council."

Perhaps Sierra Madre should begin thinking in terms of another moratorium.

A tip of our hat

Sierra Madre City Attorney Charles Martin and City Council members are to be congratulated on the recent contract they struck with Group W Cable TV. The cable company deserves congratulations for its sensitivity to the citizens' needs.

Had this sort of decision not been reached, Sierra Madreans would have been very disappointed in the city's leaders, and even more disappointed in the cable company.

Our only question: Why did this decision take 15 months?

Now, however, it is time to look forward and forget the past, hoping for a future of good television reception, good programming and cooperation.

PERRET-SCOPE

Gene Perret



My profession is writing jokes and my hobby is playing the guitar. Lately I've been getting more laughs with my profession.

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I'm really not a very good guitar player. In fact, the only time my wife asks me to play is when she wants the company to leave.

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Everytime I play, people leave. I can clear a room faster than a smoke alarm.

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When I play, everybody gets up to go home. And most of these are people who live in my house.

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My one son has never heard me play. His name is Lucky.

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No, really, my wife asks me to play something every night. It's cheaper than an exterminator.

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I just love good music. Although that's not exactly what I play on the guitar.

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I actually took up guitar to stop my nail biting and it worked. Now the rest of my family bites theirs.

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My wife and I went on a cruise last April and I took my guitar along so I could sit on the deck and play. One day the captain walked by and heard me. From that day on, he made me wear my life jacket every time I played on deck.

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But I go to a good teacher who has a very expensive guitar. I always go to a teacher with an expensive guitar. I tried going to instructors with cheap guitars and they would hit me with them.

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I take a lesson every Saturday afternoon. It ruins my weekend but it's the only time the teacher will take me. I wanted to go in the morning before going to work, but he doesn't like to take me before the bars open.

POLICE BLOTTER

— Jan. 22: There was a traffic collision between an auto and a parked vehicle at Alegria and east of Baldwin.

There was a prowling call in the 200 block of E. Highland.

— Jan. 23: An auto ran off the roadway after the driver lost control at Adams and Highland.

A male, 22, of Sierra Madre was arrested for possession of a small amount of marijuana in the 300 block of Sierra Madre Blvd.

— Jan. 24: A radio was stolen from an auto parked in a driveway in the 1200 block of Arno between the hours of 5:20 and 5:35 p.m. Loss was $1900. Police Chief Bill Betts says suspects apparently followed the vehicle home, then stole the radio.

A male, 14, of Sierra Madre, was injured in a traffic collision at Baldwin and Montecito.

— Jan. 25, 26, 27 and 28: Nothing reported.

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What was THAT!?

By Hugh Campbell

Recently we had a guest who came from Australia and this was the first time she had ever been to Sierra Madre. We went on a walking tour through town pointing out many local points of interest.

We were casually strolling down Baldwin Avenue when our famous horn blasted noon. This startled our visitor who exclaimed "What was THAT?" This comment cued me into the story of the horn.

The birth of the horn was on a Thursday afternoon, Sept. 9, 1915, according to an article in the Sierra Madre News dated Sept. 10, 1915. It was first located on the roof of the City Hall then relocated to Kersting Court approximately where Rambeau's store is today.

The article referred to the big noise heard at distant places in our usually quiet town. It started with a moan, developed into a shriek and dwindled to a mournful wail. The horrible howls at the time proved its effectiveness as a city fire alarm and the bewildered people accepted the blast for its value.

From that point on, the horn has become an important part of our community. Not only does it indicate noon and sounds the alarm for our Volunteer Fire Department, but also serves as an alert for all the local fire watchers.

When it was at the old city hall on the boulevard and Windsor Lane and the alarm sounded, a chalk board with the scribbled address was immediately hung on the front of the building.

Merchants up and down the street would step outside their shops like cuckoos out of a clock and look at the sign. Some merchants would use binoculars to see the dreaded address. Relieved that it wasn't their homes, they would return to business.

Bill Sullivan, across from the old city hall, was generally out first, Happy Mendel and Don Jackson next . . . then Irwin Gersch with his binoculars, followed by Hugh Warden and Jack Groteweil.

Volunteer firemen would race by to spot the address and head to the site. One time, Joe Scalzo was without a car and as a dedicated fireman, pedaled his bicycle at an unknown speed, arriving simultaneously with the fire engine.

Another time, some years ago, when Robert's Market was for sale, some vested "suede shoe" boys attended a city council meeting to present a portfolio for the market property development.

During the council proceedings, councilmen were alerted by a signal that the horn would sound. In unison, all the councilmen and a major portion of the audience wisely covered their ears, the horn being located directly overhead.

When the horn let go its blast, the startled visitors exclaimed, "What was THAT?" Once again, the ears were covered for the second alarm.

The "suede shoe" boys left town and never came back.

So you see, my dear Australian visitor, this is how it is in Sierra Madre. The horn is an important part of our lives. It may, sometimes, be a minute late for noon, but not for our firemen. I doubt if there is another like it anywhere. The horn and our volunteers have been doing the job for 70 years and we are grateful.

Old Fashioned Tips, Tales & Tantalizers

Most of you probably don't know why Feb. 2 is so significant. It's not just because a friend of mine was married on that day, but because it is "Groundhog Day!" That's the day our little animal friend pops up from his long winter months of hibernation to forecast the weather.

You see, it all began with "medieval folk, who thought that the hedgehog/badger/groundhog actually could predict the weather for the coming weeks. If the groundhog upon popping up, saw his shadow, he became frightened and would crawl back into his hole and would sleep for another six weeks, which meant more cold weather would follow.

However, if the skies were still cloudy, our little friend stayed above the ground to play. He had no strange friends hovering around his territory, and therefore felt "safe." Soon after, balmy spring weather would follow. (Naturally, we California folk always hope that Feb. 2 is cloudy too).

Of course, once again, this is only a superstition brought to us from early settlers from Germany, but the Germans were firm believers of this superstition. Why, even the farmers planted their crops in accordance with this belief.

Of course, the tradition must be carried on, and many people do. Pennsylvania claims to be the home of "groundhog fables." There are several clubs — including our local Sierra Madre Groundhog Society — that really observe Feb. 2 as Groundhog Day. And there is much rivalry between different organizations regarding groundhog forecasting.

I may not belong to any of these clubs, but I must admit it is fun to see what will happen this Feb. 2. All I can say is: Dr. George — beware!

Gaylee Muschett

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Public Forum

Pen pals wanted

As a scleroderma patient who has suffered alone for too many years with a disease that few people have ever even heard of, I am attempting to locate others who suffer from scleroderma (systemic sclerosis).

My New Year's resolution is to correspond with as many scleroderma patients as possible. Doctors tell me there are 300,000 of us. Perhaps your readers can assist me in locating others like myself. I can be reached at 21 Brennan Street, #21, Watsonville, CA 95076.

Diane Williams

British Isles club plans movies, social

The San Gabriel Valley British Isles Social and Travel Club will hold a travelogue Monday, Feb. 11, 6:30 to 8:45 p.m. at the Los Angeles County Library in Rosemead, at 8800 Valley Blvd., Rosemead.

Movies start at 7 p.m. Refreshments of British tea and biscuits will be served after the films.

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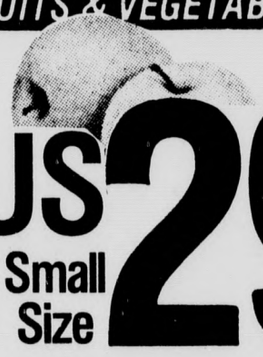


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Neighbors

Secret of 9-1-1 is to wait through silence

A recent incident involving the use of the 9-1-1 emergency number prompted another warning to the community:

When dialing the 9-1-1 number to request the police, fire or emergency medical services there is an approximate 8- to 12-second period of silence from the time the last digit is hit until the call is answered. As the call is going through the computer that routes it to the proper agency, the phone company says it is unable to provide any type of noise to assure that caller that the call is being routed through.

The big advantage to using the 9-1-1 is that immediately on completion of the call the address of where the call is originating from is printed on a screen in front of the dispatcher so even if the caller is unable to speak the address is locked in for reference and a police car is dispatched to the scene.

The few seconds of silence may seem like an eternity but in almost every instance help is on its way. Just try to wait the few seconds, then if no answer, call the 355-1414 number if you live in Sierra Madre.



HOLLYWOOD STARS BRIGHTEN UP LOCAL STREETS — George Peppard, Mr. T and Dirk Benedict were in Sierra Madre for three days last week with other crew members of the television series, "A-Team." The sequence is called "Tow" and local people are urged to watch TV listings for when Sierra Madre streets will appear on NBC television.

Planning Commission considers ordinance to curb illegalities

By Fred Wesley

An ordinance to clamp down on illegal rental units in Sierra Madre was the primary topic at last Thursday's meeting of the city Planning Commission. Several options for modifying the municipal code were discussed, including stiffer penalties for violators and a new requirement that a Conditional Use Permit be obtained for all new and existing "guest houses" within the city limits.

The issue is an outgrowth of several complaints recently from city residents regarding multi-family occupation in areas zoned R-1 for single family development. One such case brought before the Planning Commission last year resulted in an order by the commission to abandon a rental unit occupied on an R-1 parcel.

The city already has an ordinance to prevent renting a guest house on an R-1 parcel. However, as explained by City Administrator James E. McRea, enforcement of the regulations are complicated by several factors.

Many such properties are exempt from the law because they are considered to be a "pre-existing, non-conforming use"; they existed as multi-family occupancies prior to implementation of the current zoning laws. Enforcement is further complicated by the expense and time required to pursue prosecution of violators in the courts.

The new ordinances under consideration by the commission were authored by Commissioner Stan Hutchinson and City Attorney Charles Martin. In Commissioner Huitchinson's absense, the commission voted to continue discussion to a special study session to be held Monday, Feb. 11, at 7:30 p.m. at City Hall.

In an otherwise light agenda, the commission voted unanimously to grant a rear yard variance to Marvin D. Smith, 401 Grove Street, for construction of a carport.

Man flight

Legend had it that Pythagoras could fly through the air.

Groundhog Society plans furry fun

This Saturday tells the tale. Will we have six more weeks of winter or will spring flowers take over immediately?

The groundhog knows, and will peek his head out of the burrow Saturday morning, Feb. 2, just long enough to check out his shadow. If he sees it, we will have those winter days back. If there is no shadow, spring has sprung.

At any rate, the community is invited by the Sierra Madre Groundhog Society to join them at a 9 a.m. breakfast and celebration at The Lunch Box on Sierra Madre Blvd.

Bring your top hats, canes, T-shirts, fur coats, bow ties, or just come like a normal person. But be there.

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Notes from the Attic

By Gertrude Gerke

— Jan. 25, 1935: Jessica Wright's term of office as postmistress here expired Tuesday, her appointment having been made under the Republican administration 12½ years ago . . . J.S. Billheimer was named to serve a second term as president of the local Chamber of Commerce .

— Jan. 21, 1960: Dr. Nathan Jacobs is the new head of hospital staff, serving as chief of staff. He succeeds Herbert L. Herscher, M.D. . . . Mrs. Lilia Roberts, Mrs. Edward Robertson and Mrs. Joe Wright were snowbound for almost 3 days last week in Mrs. Roberts' mountain home in Cedar Pines Park, 3 miles above Crestline. A plow finally cleared the road, but they had to walk a mile through snow to their automobile. During the jaunt, Mrs. Wright suddenly tripped and fell fracturing an ankle. Mervin Peterson reduced the fracture after they got back to Sierra Madre . . . The agriculture and conservation committee of the Sierra Madre Kiwanis, with president Larry Bevington, decided upon crowning a "King and a Queen of the Crop" as the crowing event of its agricultural contest. The contest was open only to girls and boys of Sierra Madre School. It called for growing designated vegetables such as corn, cucumbers, potatoes, yams, etc.

— Jan. 30, 1975: James E. McRea was appointed director of community services . . . Honor goes to Sierra Madrean, Dr. Daniel Ivler, U.S.C. associate dean for admissions and professor of microbiology and of pediatrics at U.S.C. Medical Alumni Association at recent annual awards banquet . . . Sylvia B. Colbert entrained last Sunday for a 3-month stay in the East.

Estes - Forward rites were Jan. 5

Karen Estes and Bob Forward of West Grand View were married in a double ring ceremony on Saturday, Jan. 5, in Las Vegas, Nev.

Serving as witness for the service was Pat Grigg of Sierra Madre, a longtime friend of the couple. Other members of the wedding party were Kendall Grigg and Bert and Yvonne Young of Monrovia. Yvonne is the groom's sister.

The couple originally married in 1961 but divorced shortly thereafter. A visit to mutual friends brought them together again culminating in their remarriage. The groom is the father of Bryan Forward of Leucadia and Sally Forward of Sierra Madre and Monrovia.

A reception for the couple will take place in the near future.

First talkie

The first all-talking feature film premiered in New York on July 6, 1929. It was called, "Lights of New York."

Alverno tests entrants

The entrance test for Alverno High School will be held Saturday, Feb. 2. Registration for the test will begin at 8:30 a.m. at Alverno High School, 200 North Michillinda Ave., Sierra Madre.

A $25 fee is required for the test given from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. For further information, please call Mary McCullough, 355-3463.

Bloodmobile to Alverno Feb. 14

Alverno High School is having a Bloodmobile on Feb. 14 from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Villa on the Alverno grounds, 200 North Michillinda, Sierra Madre.

To make an appointment or for further information, please call the school office at 355-3463. Please take advantage of this opportunity to give the Gift of Life, a perfect Valentine gift.

Women's networking February 6

Women's Referral Service, is offering an opportunity to increase the clientele of local business and professional women and men by "networking" at the San Gabriel Valley Chapter meeting on Feb. 6, at the Pasadena Hilton, 150 S. Los Robles, Pasadena.

Guest speaker for the evening will be Ivan Misner, speaking on "Entrepreneuring in the Eighties."

For reservations and further information, please call (714) 625-8737 or (818) 4454-1893.

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"To my knowledge, SC was the first to offer the Pharm. D. and I was in the first graduating class. I always believed in trying to uphold the Pharm. D. degree in increasing professionalism in the pharmacy. Mr. Hartman and I saw eye-to-eye in how the pharmacy profession should be treated," Kirkpatrick told The News.

The Kirkpatricks moved in on Labor Day in 1955 during record high temperatures, purchased their present home two years later and have been here since, after several remodelings of that home. His plans to return to San Diego never jelled.

Several years later, Kirkpatrick went into business partnership with Hartman with Hartman retaining ownership of the building.

Tomorrow that two-man partnership and owership of the building is transferred to Superior Drug Co., parent company for Best Buy.

Kirkpatrick says he became a pharmacist at the recommendation of his parents who told him it was the type of profession in which he "would always have a job," he says.

He has held every office in the Sierra Madre Kiwanis Club, he explains, although at this point he no longer belongs to the local club.

When the Kirkpatrick's only child, Kim, was in junior high school, the family took up skiing. Just recently Mrs. Kirkpatrick, whose name is Charity, decided to drop the sport.

Another interest of Kirkpatrick is his collection of 1963 Lincoln Continental, in this opinion, the year "of a beautiful design." All four autos are up for sale since he now has no place to keep them.

Martha Spriggs is originally from the East, and the family has lived in Sierra Madre since 1958.

She graduated from the University of Pittsburg, the only woman pharmacist graduate and the youngest person working in the pharmacy back East.

She explains that these facts made it imperative that she do the "compounding - making up of various mixtures such as ointments, suppositories and capsules." Now, she says, those things are all prepackaged.

"This is a wonderfully old-fashioned pharmacy where we care about the individual," Spriggs says of Hartman Pharmacy.

"I've loved every minute of being here. I was raised in a small town back East and I fit in here, I know everyone and in the pharmacy we share everyone's happiness and heartache. That's what a pharmacy is. It's been very good to us, to all the Spriggs family." Spriggs adds, "Even though David (Kirkpatrick) and I are extremely different in personalities, we have worked very well together."

Spriggs explains the role of a pharmacist, "We don't prescribe. We listen then suggest the person see a doctor."

The personalities at Best Buy/Hartman Pharmacy will be different but the general philosophy remains.

City and Group W

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Group W has cooperated and the settlement has left us all friends."

Martin was the signer for the city.

Subscribers will see reflected in their bills the credit for the remote devices already paid to the company. There will be no credit, of course, for those subscribers who have been withholding the $3 charge (plus $1 if they have one other remote).

Cheese distributed Valentine's Day

According to Joe Delgatto Sr., the next cheese distribution will be Thursday, Feb. 14, Valentine's Day, beginning at 2 p.m. at the Senior Citizen Center in Memorial Park.

The reason for the later time, since distribution usually starts in the morning, is the SMART luncheon, held Monday and Thursday noons at the Senior Center.

Delgatto named 'Citizen'

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Peter Messe died in 1957 and Jennie Messe died four years ago.

Two of the Delgatto sons and their wives, Joseph and Vera Delgatto, and Peter and Marilyn Delgatto, are also in the drycleaning business. Joe Jr. is in Sierra Madre at Pantorium and Peter Delgatto is in San Marino as owner of Knight Cleaners. A third Delgatto son, John, is in the television and recording industry.

Two of Joe and Mary Delgatto's grandsons, Peter Jr., son of the Peter Delgattos, and Mike, who is the son of the Joseph Delgattos Jr., are both joining the family drycleaning business, also.

Among the new "Citizen's" accomplishments are the following: active organizer of Senior Citizen Club in Sierra Madre, city councilman for two terms and Mayor of Sierra Madre for one term; board member of Sierra Madre Commission on Aging, Inc.; involved in organizing the SMART luncheon program for seniors twice a week; supporter of senior transportation; instigator of food subsidies in the form of cheese and butter for seniors and handicapped individuals; staunch supporter of Sierra Madre Chamber of Commerce, volunteer Santa Claus for local children.

Delgatto is active at St. Rita's Church and was honored by the county of Los Angeles as being the Older American recognized by the County Supervisors.

The Delgattos have seven grandchildren.

Chamber of Commerce supporters and friends of Delgatto, as well as interested individuals, are urged to attend the dinner at the Brookside Country Club, Pasadena. The cocktail hour begins at 6 this evening with dinner beginning at 7:30 p.m. The cost is $17.50 per ticket.

Nancy Shollenberger, chairman of the chamber committee to select the "Citizen," told The News Monday, "It was a difficult job choosing this year's 'Citizen' since there were so many qualified people. The committee was unanimous in its choice."

Assisting Shollenberger were Ishad Haque, Dori Osterman and Joyce Steele.

Last year's "Citizen" was Hugh Campbell.

CRA investigates future of City Hall

Sierra Madre Community Redevelopment Agency (e.g., Sierra Madre City Council members) took their first step toward total investigation of disposition of the old City Hall, at their adjourned meeting last Wednesday.

In words stated by City Attorney and Agency Counsel Charles Martin, they "started the clock ticking" in the investigation of really how much has been accomplished by the buyers of the hall three years ago and, according to Martin, "The CRA took the first step toward default."

Buyers Fritz Ahern and Harold Anderson must respond within 30 days to the letter sent this week to them from the CRA or risk default of the Disposition Development Agreement, City Administrator Jim McRea told The News. The letter lists violations and "maybe 20 items that need to be addressed," McRea said.

"There are items that are non-negotiable and must be corrected," he added and listed those items: the building has been leased and used without appropriate permits and a certificate of occupancy. The building must have reasonable fire separation, a sprinkler system and engineering certification, he said.

There are four major areas of concern, McRea added, and they are parts of the DDA (Disposition Development Agreement) as follows: — In Section 5, "working drawings and precise plan of development for permitted commercial uses" — to date they have only submitted an approved set of general rehabilitation plans, not the other plans necessary.

— Section 5D states, paraphrased, that the buyers are responsible to make $350,000 worth of development and improvements to the building - if they are interested in selling the building, there is no indication of development done, McRea notes.

— Section 12 discusses "default or breach." In subparagraph B-1 and in Section 4 of the DDA, it states "development financing, qualifications and identity are of interest to the agency."

— Section B states "subsequent to conveyance and

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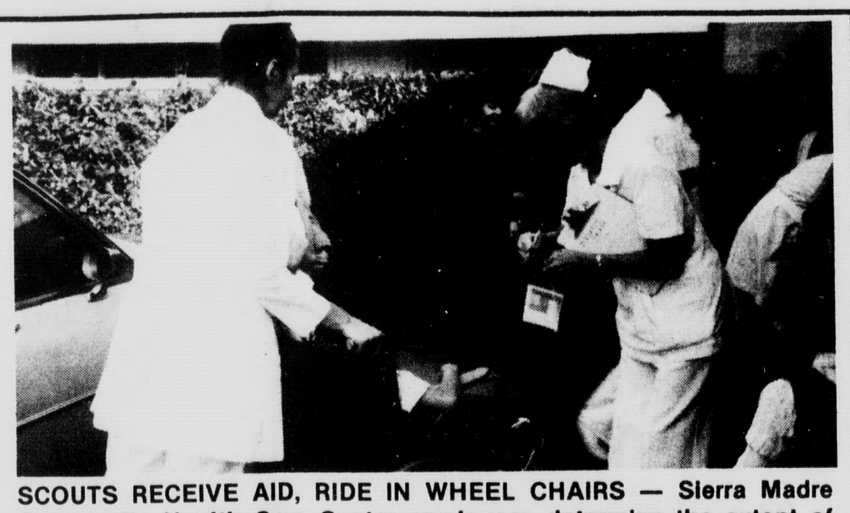
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DR. WHITE BANDAGES CHILDREN IN MOCK CRASH — Dr. William White, former chief of staff at Methodist Hospital of Southern California, is the physician on duty for the mock crash that sent a bevy of Girl Scouts to Sierra Madre Community Health Care Center last week.

Sierra Madre News Photo



SCOUTS RECEIVE AID, RIDE IN WHEEL CHAIRS — Sierra Madre Community Health Care Center employees determine the extent of the injuries of the Girl Scouts from Temple City who were volunteers for the disaster drill in Sierra Madre last week. Sierra Madre News Photo



TEMPLE CITY SCOUTS RECEIVE TREATMENT — Arms are bandaged, legs are held in splints and children receive rides on gurneys and in wheelchairs in the mock disaster drill at Sierra Madre Community Health Care Center. The drill was the result of a fake crash in front of the local facility.

Sierra Madre News Photo

CRA investigates

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prior to completion three things could result in breach" and they include, according to McRea, 12-B-1 addresses the question of not sticking to dates as set down in DDA.

— 12-B-3 addresses "transfer of site," in other words, their trying to sell the building. At this date, Ahern and Anderson are in escrow with Donald Murphy to sell the building. Murphy plans to move his architectural firm from Monrovia if the escrow closes, and date of the close is set for the end of February.

— Section 12-B-4 addresses being behind in payments. McRea says some payments have been allowed to be deferred.

More information will be reported on this action when Ahern and Anderson reply to the letter they are receiving this week.

Whitney Smith, who is also interested in purchasing the Old City Hall, said the buyers have not completed seismic work. He informed the CRA that he would be willing to proceed by either purchasing the property from the present owners (who as yet are Ahern and Anderson) "or if the agency decides to recapture the project, I am willing to purchase the project from the agency."

Arthritis Club

The Arthritis Club of the San Gabriel Valley will hold their next meeting Feb. 10, at 1 p.m. in Lewis Hall at the Methodist Hospital, 300 W. Huntington Drive.

Root grow-ping

The dark of the moon is considered the best time to plant roots.

Pepper Tree

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concrete contractor called his truck MUDMAN.

IMELETE and IDSRIT were on another road and PARTR seemed to have a planned destination in mind. GYNPHZZ showed up on another day, but may have had the same destination.

SHOWBIZ and MISCMAN were in different parts of town, but they may be part of REDBRDS.

Haven't seen this yet, but this is RLCORN.

● Our News bookkeeper, Rosette Selbak, has also been watching for license plates. On the auto of a mother chauffeur, she saw TEEN RTD, and on another was BABIBIZ.

● Eleanor Tarup has moved to our local health care center with her broken leg, according to son Peter. She is undergoing physical therapy and is doing well.

● When I quoted clever City Council member, Andrew Roy Buchan, on his remark at a recent meeting that (utility) poles were "an anachronism," one of my friends, Frank Goss, was aghast and said the remark didn't sound like Buchan. "What does he have against Poles?" Goss asked.

Actually, we think Frank was up to his old tricks of teasing. We think he knew we were talking about utility poles and not Polish people.

And we agree. We're delighted to see the resolution passed by the council, establishing a district to underground all utility wires on S. Baldwin.

After all, the great share of the money is in escrow from So. Cal. Edison, waiting to be used for that purpose. And if we don't use it, other towns have the right to ask for it and be granted that money.

It's a good beginning, we feel.

Upper Hastings Ranch sets 'red letter' dates

The following 1985 UHRA dates have been set: Day at the Races, Saturday, Feb. 9; pancake breakfast, Saturday, May 4; spring beautification, extra pickup, Saturday, June 8, and judging for Rainbow awards, Saturday, June 15 (tentative).

The annual meeting is set for Wednesday, Nov. 6.

Christmas Light-up is scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 15; judging, Wednesday, Dec. 18 and awards parade, Friday, Dec. 20.

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* UHRA Board Highlights *

No guests.

President Jan Van Amersfoort reported on the following:

(1) The billing system of Falcon Cable TV and problems of the residents;
(2) Slight improvement of property on Sierra Madre Blvd.
(3) There is still an opening for one new member on the Board;
(4) Request by Margaret Sedenquist to appear before the Board — discussion and vote followed — request denied;

Vice-president Bob Williams that dues money is starting to come in and two blocks have 100% already; 100% blocks will receive a plaque;

Treasurer Bob Gregg gave his report on finances;

Election of new officers and chairmen for 1985; committees selected;

Dates picked for various events;

Christmas Wrap-up: Ray Lovell reported that everything went smoothly for the judging; more people are needed to go around with the awards to make the event more festive; a great deal more traffic was noticed this year, including some accidents;

Day at the Races: Chairman Creath Smiley reported on ticket sales; signs are needed; Creath polled the board on tickets already sold;

Lariat: Cloydine Thomas stated that the next issue will be out near Feb. 1;

Hamilton Park: Little League sign-ups have started;

Civic affairs and publicity: no report;

Neighborhood Watch: Cyndie Riegel reported on the number of burglaries in the area; our new Watch coordinator from the city is Paulette Johnson;

Unfinished business: New UHRA automobile stickers will be available soon;

New business: A committee will be formed to review the by-laws;

Next meeting — Feb. 12.



UPPER HASTINGS RANCH ASSOCIATION 1985 OFFICERS — From left, Bob Gregg, treasurer; Bob Williams, vice-president; Kathy Lovell, president and honorary mayor and Cyndie Rapoza-Riegel, secretary.

Officers, chairmen chosen

The following officers and chairmen were elected by the Upper Hastings Ranch Association board of directors to serve in 1985: president and honorary mayor, Kathy Lovell; vice-president, Bob Williams; secretary, Cyndie Rapoza-Riegel; treasurer, Bob Gregg; publicity, Ovena Mayo.

Block captain coordinating committee will be headed by Bob Williams, Emma Lou Campbell, Stan Elman, Jerry Hardman, Bill Hopson, Peggy Morris and Susan Nuaimi.

Stan Elman is in charge of Day at the Races for 1986. Pancake breakfast committee is headed by Cyndie Riegel, Ray Lovell, Bill Hopson and Emma Lou Campbell.

Spring beautification is led by Jerry Hardman and Susan Nuaimi and Dodger Night, Peggy Morris, Bob Gregg and Bob Williams.

Jan Van Amersfoort heads the annual meeting and Bob Gregg and Bill Hopson are in charge of Christmas plans.

Neighborhood Watch is led by Ray Lovell and Jerry Hardman, and the Hamilton Park committee follows: chairman, Creath Smiley, with Ovena Mayo, Jerry Hardman and Mary Pat Ewald.

Civic coordinator is John Winkler and Lariat editor is Cloydine Thomas; staff includes Ovena Mayo and Mary Pat Ewald.

Resident of the Year committee chairman is Creath Smiley; scholarship committee, Cyndie Riegel and parliamentarian, Jan Van Amersfoort.

Order your Valentine message of L O V E See page 11.

Race Day set for Feb. 9

The Upper Hastings Ranch Association annual Day at the Races will take place on Saturday Feb. 9, at Santa Anita Park. Tickets are $15 per person which includes a reserved table on the covered Club House patio, a gourmet buffet luncheon and easy access to a TV bar and the betting windows.

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For tickets, call Day at the Races chairman Creath Smiley at 351-0125.

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Local Rec. Dept. offers Valentines workshops, whale watching trips, sports workshops

The Sierra Madre Recreation Department is sponsoring a Valentine's Day workshop for children ages 5-12 years at the Sierra Madre Recreation Center, 611 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., on Tuesday, Feb. 12, from 3:15 - 4:30 p.m.

The cost is $2.50 per child which includes supplies for two fancy, decorated Valentines for mom and dad, grandma and grandpa, or other loved ones.

Reservations are encouraged, but not necessary.

A whale watching excursion has been planned for Saturday, Feb. 23, 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. aboard the popular Catalina Cruise Ships.

The three-hour cruise is also sponsored by the Sierra Madre Recreation Dept.

The fee for this excursion is $15 for all ages, which includes transportation. Advanced reservations are necessary, so please call or come to city hall to register as soon as possible.

The Sierra Madre Recreation Department is offering two special classes for children this winter and spring. These classes will take place at the Recreation Center, 611 E. Sierra Madre Blvd.

The sports workshop is designed for children ages 4 - 7 years as an introduction to fun, non-competitive sports and games, including soccer, badminton, parachute play and many others. The class will be held on Monday and Wednesday afternoons from 3:30 - 4:30 p.m., beginning Feb. 25. The cost is $25 for the six-week course. It also offers basic instruction in skills, rules, and team involvement of various games as well as exercise and sharpening of coordination skills.

Crafts for children is offered for ages 5 - 12 years. Each class will include various uses of art mediums to help increase awareness of color, balance and skill. It also provides sharpening of creative abilities and coordination. This class is offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays for two-week sessions at a cost of $10 per session, from 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

For information about any of these classes, call (818) 355-7135.



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Women Business Owners meet for workshop Feb. 7

The National Association of Women Business Owners, San Gabriel Valley region, plans a workshop on "The Art of Promotion: You and Your Business," Thursday, Feb. 7, from 9 a.m. to noon at Howard Johnson's in Monrovia.

Registration starts at 8:30 a.m. The cost is $65 for non-members and $55 for members.

Those wanting more information, should call Leslie at (213) 698-1751 or Lynn at (818) 350-4226.

Membership campaign waged

Coinciding with two outstanding "League Day" programs scheduled for February and March, the eight-community League of Women Voters Pasadena Area will wage a membership campaign during those two months, president Linda Jenkins has announced.

She added that the membership drive will conclude with the league's annual meeting on Apr. 4. New members will be especially honored.

Ushering in the campaign will be the League Day luncheon program Feb. 7 on "Financing Local Governments." The program on Mar. 7 will be devoted to "Examining U.S. Options in an Interdependent World." The spectrum of subjects typifies the League's diversity of interests.

The LWVPA serves the communities of Pasadena, Alhambra, Altadena, La Canada Flintridge, Monterey Park, San Gabriel, San Marino and Sierra Madre.

Bet-tor wins

At race tracks, the favorite wins fewer than 30% of all horse races.

Historical Society features film show

By Phyllis Chapman

The Sierra Madre Historical Society invites area residents to attend their monthly meeting on Monday, Feb. 4, 7:30 p.m., at Essick House, 550 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.

Gertrude Gerke, Historical Society member and well-known Sierra Madrean, will present a slide talk from a collection of historic photos of the city of Sierra Madre's participation in the Rose Parade.

Sierra Madre was one of the first outside cities to join Pasadena in its annual New Year's parade with an entry sponsored by the Board of Trade (now Chamber of Commerce) in 1909.

The 1917 entry, the first year the Tournament of Roses began keeping a log book of parade entries, included an open touring car covered with yellow field flowers and wild mustard followed by a mountain camping scene flanked by six pack animals. Pack animals were very evident in early Sierra Madre as they were used for years to take people and anything needed up the trails to the many resorts in the mountains above this town.

Beginning in 1936, for almost 20 years, famous Sierra Madre artist James Alfred Dewey designed float entries and headed the group building them. Then in the late 1950s, at a time when community interest in Sierra Madre Rose Parade participation had waned, the Sierra Madre Rose Float Association was formed. SMRFA not only saved our place in the parade but won the theme prize that year.

Every year since there has been no doubt that Sierra Madre would have an all-community produced entry, today almost a rarity in the Rose Parade, and many of them prize winners. The fund-raising, the designing and building of an annual rose float is one of Sierra Madre's most exciting activities.

Newcomers to join peers

Have you moved into the area within the last two years? If so, the Arcadia-Sierra Madre Newcomers Club invites you to attend their get-acquainted coffee at 10 a.m., on Feb. 6 at the home of Judi Draper, 939 Hampton Road, Arcadia.

Please call Pat Fisher, 445-1005 or Judi Draper, 355-4565 for reservations.

Mission holds entrance exams

San Gabriel Mission High School, located at Broadway and Santa Anita in San Gabriel, has scheduled its entrance test on Saturday, Feb. 2, at 8 a.m. Parents of girls interested in attending Mission High School should call the school at (818) 282-3181 to register for the test.

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Jim McRea, City Manager
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Within fifteen working days of this date, Group W Cable, Inc. shall submit to the Council the certified statement required by Government Code section 53066.1(d).

As is also required by Government Code section 53066.1(a) (4), Group W Cable, Inc. is causing this notice to be published in the Sierra Madre News and the Star News.

Very truly yours,
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G. Todd Hardy
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Jan. 31, 1985

Former Sierra Madrean may be in Cabinet

By Ruth Carter

Dorcas R. Hardy, an assistant secretary of health and human services, and a former Sierra Madre resident, is under consideration to become commissioner of social security, department officials report.

Hardy is a conservative with longtime ties to President Reagan. She was an assistant secretary of the California Health Department when Reagan was governor and was living in Sierra Madre at that time.

After Reagan was elected president in 1980, she moved to Washington D.C. but still retained her ownership in a condominium in Sierra Madre.

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The Board of Directors of Sanitation District No. 15 will hold a public hearing on February 17, 1985, at 2:00 p.m., in the Districts' Board Room at 1955 Workman Mill Road, Whittier, California. The purpose of this hearing is to discuss a Service Charge Report that was filed with the District Clerk on January 23, 1985 and whether the proposed service charge should continue to be collected on the 1985-86 property tax bill for parcels of property located within Sanitation District No. 15. The boundaries of Sanitation District No. 15 are shown below. At the hearing, the Board will receive any objections, corrections, or protests.

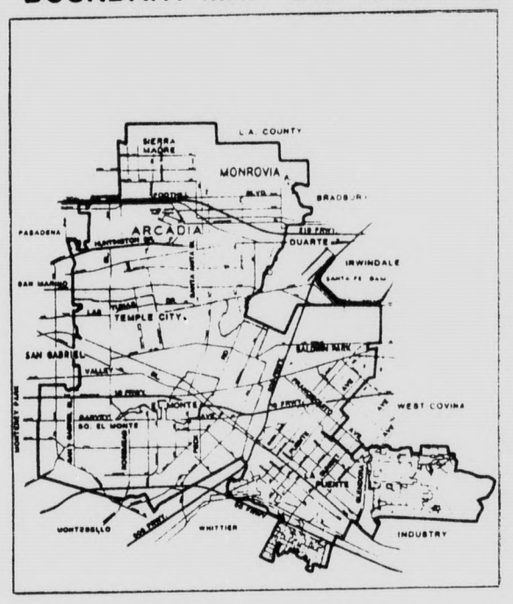
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For further information on the service charge or public hearing for Sanitation District No. 15, please call Districts' staff by dialing the Operator ("O") and asking for Zenith 2-9121 (toll free).

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Ascension

The weekly schedule for the Church of the Ascension includes the following:

— Sunday, 8 a.m., Eucharist (said); 9 a.m., adult study class; 9:45 a.m., church school; 10 a.m., Eucharist (said), (First Sunday — 5 p.m.). — (Evensong and Benediction).

— Monday, 6 p.m., Mass.

— Tuesday, 6 p.m., Mass; 7:30 p.m. St. Mary's Guild (second Tuesday), 7:30 p.m., vestry meeting, (third Tuesday).

— Wednesday, noon, Mass; 6 p.m., Mass; 7:30 p.m., adult study.

Thursday, 7 a.m., Mass; 9:30 a.m., St. Francis Guild (first Thursday); 7:30 p.m., choir rehearsal.

— Friday, 9 a.m., Mass and Healing; 9:45 a.m., Bible study.

— Saturday, 9 a.m., Mass; 5 p.m. — Confessions (second Saturday — 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., Quiet Day).

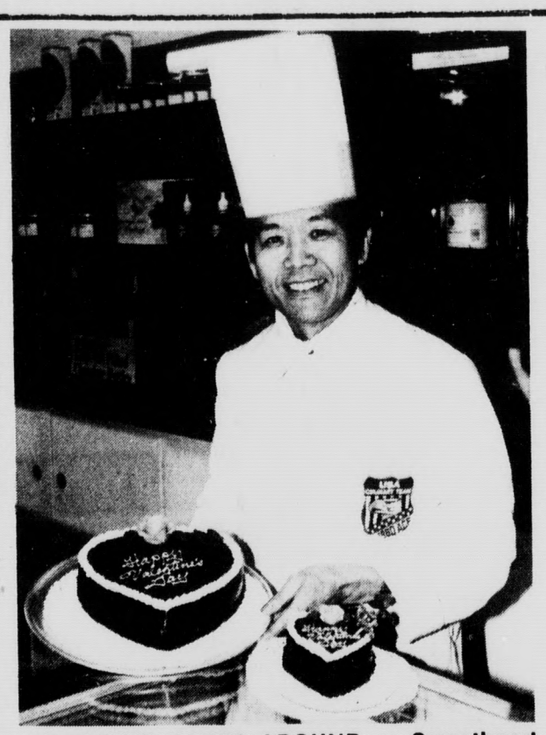
Greek missionaries speak at Bethany

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill, missionaries to Greece under the Greater Europe Mission of Wheaton, Ill., will be the speakers at the Missionary Fellowship of Bethany Church of Sierra Madre on Tuesday, Feb. 26. Hill is one of the co-founders of the Greek Bible Institute, located in the Greater Athens area, which was established 14 years ago.

A catered luncheon will be served at noon, after which the Hills will share some of their experiences in establishing and maintaining the work at the Institute.

For luncheon reservations, please call the church office at 355-1403 no later than Sunday, Feb. 24. A nursery will be provided.

Bethany Church is located at 93 North Baldwin Avenue.



VALENTINE CAKES ABOUND — Sweetheart cakes for your Valentine sweetie is what Chef Ryo Sato has planned as his Valentine's special for his Chez Sateau Patisserie. Heart-shaped cakes come in three sizes, serving 2, 4-6, or 12 people and orders should be placed by Feb. 12, at 574-0702. It's right next door to award winning Chez Sateau restaurant where Chef Sato has a special Valentine's Sweetheart 5-course dinner planned for Feb. 14.

Barbershoppers plan San Gabriel show

Championship barbershop quartets will be performing at the annual barbershop harmony show at San Gabriel Civic Auditorium on Feb. 8 and 9, 1985, at 8 p.m.

The theme of this year's show will be "California Here I Come."

The Arcadia Gaslight Chorus, which sponsors the show, sings four-part unaccompanied harmony in barbershop style. Founded more than 30 years ago, the group performs regularly at functions throughout the San Gabriel Valley and is the local chapter of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America Inc. Tickets will be available at the door at $7 each.

Menu

MONDAY — Hot pastrami on French roll, chow mein, rice, buttered green beans, grated carrot salad, apricot/pa juice.

TUESDAY — Toasted cheese, chicken fry steak, buttered corn, baked potato/cheese, fruit medley, green salad.

WEDNESDAY — Cheese nachos, hamburger on bun, buttered peas/carrots, spinach salad, peach crunch bar.

THURSDAY — Ravioli, bbq pork on bun, buttered green beans, fruit w/Maraschino, grape topping, orange juice, French bread.

United Methodist

"Stationed in the Illusions" will be Rev. H. Elwood Wissmann's sermon topic this Sunday at the Sierra Madre United Methodist Church. Morning worship is at 9:30 on Sunday with Church School classes for children through the 6th grade held at the same hour. Nursery and child care are also provided at that hour.

The Adult Study Class continues its study of the Gospel of John under the leadership of Rev. Harlan Waite. The study group meets at 10:45 a.m., Sunday and all are invited to attend. The Youth Group meets on Sunday, 6:30 p.m., at our church.

This Saturday, local church officers will be attending a Pasadena District Leadership Seminar at the Holliston United Methodist Church in Pasadena. The program begins at 8:30 a.m. with registration and closes with lunch.

The Women's Prayer and Support group meets on Monday, 7:30 p.m., at the Parsonage. The board of trustees meets on Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., and the finance committee meets on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Seminar offered at Congregational

A seminar on "God and the New Cosmology" will be taught by Hugh Ross, Saturday, Feb. 9, 7 - 9 p.m. at Sierra Madre Congregational Church.

Ross is a former research astronomer.

All participants will have the chance to ask questions and examine research documents. Childcare for ages 6 and under will be provided.

Daughter of former businesswoman missing

The daughter of a former Sierra Madre businesswoman remians missing this week since her disappearance from her home in Pasadena Jan. 3.

Susan Gradney, 13, the daughter of Joe and Florence Gradney, has been gone since mid-afternoon that day. She took nothing with her except the clothes she was wearing, a black jacket, blue denim shirt and red shoes. She no longer has braces on her teeth, an exception from the accompanying school photograph.

"We suspect foul play," her mother told The News.

Florence Gradney closed Flo's Intimate Apparel Dec. 31, 1984, in preparation for a family move to Sun City, Ariz.

If anyone has information about Susan, the Pasadena Police would appreciate a call at 9-1-1.



Ox tale

In 1880, Johann Ketzler of Munich, Germany consumed one whole roast ox in 42 days.

Training ground

Pullman cars get their name from their designer, George Pullman.

All Saints plans children's spectacular

About 50 members of the children's choirs of All Saints Episcopal Church will be Noah's animals when the parish performs Benjamin Britten's popular children's opera, "Noye's Fludde," at 8 p.m., Friday and Saturday, Feb. 8 and 9, in the church sanctuary at 132 N. Euclid Ave., Pasadena.

Marvin Finnley and Diane Thomas will star as Mr. and Mrs. Noye in the production, including a full orchestra, and sets by Hollywood designer A. Clarke Duncan. Ray Egan, All Saints musical director, and Debbie Foulkes, Polytechnic School teacher, will direct.

Composed in 1957 by Britten, a contemporary British composer, the opera features a libretto taken directly from medieval Chester miracle plays. Dozens of parishioners are contributing their talents as set designers, costumers, publicists and assistants. Tickets are available from the church office: phone 796-1172.

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Sports

From Behind the Wire

by Ed Colucci, sports editor

Well, I din't get to the Super Bowl as I thought, but I did the next best thing. Instead of sitting around the house and watching the game on TV, I decided to do something I never would have done. I called a Las Vegas hotel and asked "What have you got?" We ended up getting a package deal and away we all went. We got to Vegas at 11:30 a.m., Sunday and walked right into Ya Ha City. The place was going nuts with high rollers everywhere looking to get rid of their money as quick as they could.

As we got into the cab, the driver asked, "Who do you like?" I said, "Nobody," and with a snarl he said, "What are doing here, then?"

After we checked into the hotel, the girls took off for the bingo parlor and me and Uncle Dan took off to see all the crazy people. Even the guy at the door said he would take the 49ers and give me six points. I said, "Pass." I always thought there was a recession going on and that money was tight. You never would have known it up there. They had more big-screen TV set up there than down town Tokyo and it wa standing room only wherever you went. I never knew it, but you could have placed a bet on anything the game would offer.

A guy from San Jose said he would bet me the Dolphins would win the coin toss. I said, "No way." Ok, then he would take the 49ers.

I have to feel for young Dan Moreno in his first Super Bowl. How do you go that far and then look like a sandlot quarterback? The Dolphins were just overpowered from one end to the other. After the game was over, the town looked like a scene from the movie "Testament," because the whole town emptied out at one time.

The traffic on the freeway heading out looked like a parking lot at full standstill for about an hour. After a good dinner, we made our pilgrimage from one hotel to the other to look at the people who were left over from the big game.

I spoke to a man who had just talked to his kids in Danville, Ill., (the last town I worked in before coming back to Calif.), and he said it was -5° with a windchill of -25°. He told his kids he'd see them in April. A man and wife from Cleveland asked me if carpetbaggers could cross the border without getting shot. I sold them two short-term visas for a hundred bucks. It was a lot of fun for three days.

Ok, all you baseball players, it's January and it's time to sign up for Little League, "T" ball, Pony/Colt and girl's softball. Last Saturday was the first day and this coming Saturday will be another day. For you folks with lots of kids, they have the family plan for $60 and others are $25 and $30 for each league. Let's try to get everyone signed up by next week and get started early.

See you on the street
— BIG ED

Tee for 4 or more

At Brookside Women's Golf Club, winners of Tournament Course #1, most pars, Jan. 23, follow:

A Flight, 1st, Evelyn Conrad, Glendale, 16; 2nd, Lee Edmiston, Arcadia, and Barbara Kelley, Sierra Madre, 12.

B Flight, 1st, Bobbie Spangler, Pasadena, 17; 2nd Betty Gelwicks, Pasadena, Mary Mandekic, Glendale, and Ruth Mugnaini, Altadena, 12.

C Flight, 1st, Margaret Uber, Glendale, 15 and 2nd Ellen Meudell, San Marino, 13.

Eaton Canyon women score in tournament

At Eaton Canyon Women's Golf Club, the results of Jan. 22 "Prize Day No. 1" competition scoring Low Gross in flights, follow: A Flight: Beverly Whitaker, 84; B Flight: Clara McNiff, 95; C Flight: Joan Curtis, 102; D Flight: Jane Scott, 105.

Huntington Library features magnolia talk

Magnolias are blooming at the Huntington Library, Art Collections and Botanical Gardens. Huntington horticulturist Clair Martin will lead a 45-minute walk around the garden to see the flowering trees Tuesday, Feb. 5, at 2:30 p.m. The group will assemble at the Overseers' Room of the Entrance Pavilion.

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Signups due Saturdays for Pony/Colt, Softball T-Ball fanciers

Residents who wish to participate in the girls softball, T-ball and Pony/Colt activities this year, should be sure to sign up either Saturday, Jan. 26, or Saturday, Feb. 2.

Hours for signups at Sierra Madre Recreation Center Fireside Room, located on the eastern edge of Sierra Madre are 9 a.m. to 1 each day.

Fees include: T-Ball, $20; girl's softball, $25; Pony/Colt, $30; and the family plan includes participation in all for $60.

1985 Sierra Madre Athletic Association officers include the following: president, Andrea Van Wickle; secretary, Cheryl Conway; treasurer, Bill Glowka.

Booster Club officers are as follows: president, Nancy Davis; secretary, Sandy Misquez; treasurer, Jean Goudy; newsletter, Cecil Goudet; Diamond Diner, Pat Scott, Dapper Diner, Joan Ryker.

SMAA president urges volunteers to appear for many spots. She adds that there are managers for all anticipated teams.

Club plans 'Ladder Tourney'

The Arcadia Tennis Club has sent out announcements to their members of the forthcoming 1985 ladder tournament to be held Feb. 23-24, Mar. 2-3 and Mar. 9-10.

Entry fees are $5 for singles and $10 for doubles, and entry is limited to two events.

Those members interested should send their check and entry to Michelle Immler, 926 E. Alta Vista Drive, Altadena, CA 91001.

The Arcadia Tennis Club has members from all over the adjacent cities.

Tennis teams are in the racquets

The junior program in the Arcadia Tennis Club has many junior players who are presently looking for a jr. chairperson to head the teams and junior activities. Junior players of all levels are invited to join the club. There is fun and good tennis for all ages and abilities.

Drop your name in the Arcadia Club tennis box at Arcadia Park if you are interested in joining.

Johnson is named head of tournament

Frederick D. Johnson Jr. was announced as the new president of the Pasadena Tournament of Roses Association for 1985-86 and he immediately named "A Celebration of Laughter" as the theme for the 1986 parade.

The 1986 Tournament of Roses theme announcement initiates float designing and construction for the floats which will appear in the 97th annual Rose Parade.

Caltech chooses award winner

Caltech professor of anthropology, Thayer Scudder, has been named the first recipient of the American Anthropological Association's Solon T. Kimball Award for Public and Applied Anthropology. The award was given in recognition of Scudder's outstanding anthropological contributions to significant contemporary public policy issues.

A member of the Institute's humanities and social sciences faculty since 1964, Scudder is known for his long-term studies of the effects of relocation on the Gwembe Tonga people of Zambia and Zimbabwe in Africa. He has used the data in the studies as a base for examining the social consequences of forced resettlement in other parts of the world.

Pickle pusses

The average American eats eight and a half pounds of pickles a year.

Fergus part of 'image'

Doug Fergus, a longtime resident of Sierra Madre, born here in 1960, is a member of an original rock band called "Split Image." The group has been signed by a record company, with a 45 rpm due out soon.

They have been appearing at a club in Azusa.

The Bulletin Board

January 15 - April 5
Creative Arts Group holds its winter session (6 week sessions) and one or two day workshops for children and adults. Register at C.A.G., 108 N. Baldwin or call for brochure (355-8350).

February
Lunches are held every Monday and Thursday for seniors through the SNAP progam. $1.25.

February 2, 9 16, 23
Senior Citizens meet for lunch every Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Senior Citizen Center.

Frbruary 4
Sierra Madre Historical Society meeting, 7:30 Blvd. Program: Slide presentation by Ger- p.m., at Essick House, 550 W. Sierra Madre trude Gerke, "Sierra Madre's History in the Rose Parade."

Children's Hour, 7 p.m., Sierra Madre Public Library, four fun films about cats.

February 5
La Salle parent - teacher report card night on campus, 7:30 p.m.

February 7
Commission on Aging, Inc. meets at 3 p.m. in the council chambers.

February 8
Travelers and Collectors presents "Egypt and Nie Cruise." a free slide and narration pro gram by James Hampton, 7:30 p.m., Sierra Madre Public Library.

February 9
UHRA Day at the Races.

February 8 & 9
"Noye's Fludde," musical celebration of the Ark and its inhabitants by Benjamin Britten, 8 p.m., All Saints Episcopal Church, 132 N. Euclid Ave., Pasadena. Tickets $6 and $3. Call 796-1172 for information.

February 10
Alverno Day At the Races, 11 a.m. Adults, $10; children, $5. Call 286-3544, 285-4112.

February 11
Children's Hour, 7 p.m., Sierra Madre Public Library, craft — making valentines.

February 12
City Council, 7:30 p.m., council chambers.

February 13
City Council, 7:30 p.m., council chambers.

February 14
Valentine's Day.

Cheese distribution at Senior Citizen Center, beginning at 2 p.m.

Blood Bank, Alverno High School, 9:30 - 2:30. Call 355-3463 for appointment.

February 15
Fridays At Eight, 8 p.m., Sierra Madre Public Library. Kris and Mark Beckwith sing their way through free concert, "Broadway For Two Looks Back."

February 18
Children's Hour, 7 p.m., Sierra Madre Public Sieerra Madre Public Library closed in observance of Washington's birthday.

February 21
Planning Commission meets, 7:30 p.m., council

Commission on Aging, Inc. meets at 3 p.m. at the council chambers.

February 23 & 24
Tenth annual Sierra Madre Antique Show and Sale, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Essick House, 550 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. Sponsored by Woman's Club. Adm. $2.

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